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The Honble. Levi Woodbury
Secretary of the Treasury
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New Orleans.
Treasurer's Office Novr. 13. 1839

Sir

I received this morning your letter of the 4th instant requesting and authorizing me to make use of the United States deposites in the ~~[illegible]~~ of any drafts from the Treasurer of the United States on the Citizens Bank, should any appear after the public funds in that institution are exhausted.

The amount deposited, has been invested in Bullion, which cannot be made available until after the mint recommences operations.

I had an interview with the Cashier of the Citizens Bank this morning and was assured by him that all the Treasurer's drafts will be paid at the Bank - without having occasion to apply to the mint.

I have the honor to be
very respectfully
your mo obt Servant
S H Dimmock
Treasr

To The Honble Levi Woodbury